

TRIAL BEGUN.

Only a Few Witnesses Were Examined Yesterday.

SIXTY OR MORE TO BE HEARD.

The examining trial of Lee Cozart for the shooting of James Offutt was begun yesterday afternoon. The time for the hearing had been fixed for 9 a. m., but the court did not get through another case until noon. There was time consumed getting witnesses together and swearing them in so that it was 3 o'clock when the first witness was put on the stand.

The trial is before County Judge Hall at Madisonville.

There are something like sixty or more witnesses to be examined and it will probably require all of today and a good part of tomorrow to get through with the testimony.

China wants peace. It wants the United States to get peace. The United States would be pleased to oblige China in this respect, but there are certain preliminaries which China will have to observe before this country can intercede for her with the rest of the powers. She must cease all resistance to the allies in and around Pekin. Her government must return to the capital and enter into negotiations with the allies whereby indemnity shall be furnished for the recent outrages against foreigners and pledges given that such atrocities shall not be repeated in the future. The United States will be glad to assist China under these conditions. In the present exigency the United States has greater influence in China than has any other single nation. The Chinese authorities are aware of this. If they intelligently and honestly meet the demands of the situation America will be glad to end China's present troubles.—Globe Democrat.

Meeting at Barnsley.

We have just closed a few days meeting at Barnsley. We had two conversions. The Lord was with us in power and I never preached to a better and attentive congregation. The best of behavior was given to me and on account of the warm weather we closed the meeting until cool weather. May God's richest blessings rest on Barnsley people and all others that will listen to the gospel.

REV. J. W. LEE.

OTHERWISE UNNOTICED.

A 12-year-old boy was arrested after burglarizing three Moline (Ill.) stores.

Over two hundred buildings were razed by a tornado at Sheboygan, Wis., Monday.

William Hatz, living at Fountain Green, Mo., gave his infant child carbolic acid by mistake with fatal results.

A Chicago hotel proprietor refused to serve a shirt-waist man in the dining-room, and is a defendant in a \$50,000 damage suit.

The convention of the American Association of General Passenger and Ticket Agents will be held at Buffalo, N. Y., on October 16.

A company has been formed at Flora, Tenn., to develop the water power of Elk river. In the river at that point is a fall of 25 feet.

The steam dredge Iota, first of a fleet of government boats for work in the channels of the Mississippi, is receiving supplies at St. Louis.

A young man supposed to be Eugene Patterson, of St. Louis, was drowned in Lake Michigan, at Chicago, Monday night, while bathing.

Thirty planing mills, practically all the sash, door and blind concerns in Chicago, will pass into a combination this week, with a capital of \$4,000,000.

A number of secret service men have started over the country to detect violations of the automatic compiler law, which became effective August 1.

The postmaster general has established two new divisions of post office inspectors, one comprising the island of Hawaii and the other that of Porto Rico.

Miss Maud E. Simmons, of Kansas, and H. A. Clary, of West Virginia, parted four years ago by a lovers' quarrel, met by accident, at St. Louis, and were married.

Seven hundred St. Louis democrats, accompanied by Hon. Adlai Stevenson, left for Sedalia on a special train, to participate in the formal opening of the state campaign.

George Wagner went on the war path at Waterloo, Ill., and after engaging in ten fights ran up against City Marshal Moffitt's revolver and furnished material for a funeral.

Stella Wilson, of St. Louis, objected to marrying the man of her father's choice, because his name was Wilson, also, and she wanted to change hers, so she eloped with Harry Chandler, of McClennansboro, Ill.

An American consul in England reports that American women in that country have great difficulty in getting hosiery to fit them, the English-made stockings being without fit or the desired length.

Henry Bergman of Washington county, Ill., committed suicide by shooting himself with a double-barreled shotgun, the contents of both barrels taking effect in his head, blowing out his brains.

The circuit court at Peoria, Ill., has ordered the women managers of the industrial school for girls to release the three Pankey Children, in accordance with the order of release, issued some days ago, by acting Gov. Ward.

Broomcorn growers in Illinois are confronted with the problem of how to get their crop harvested. Laborers are very scarce, and the few who have been found who will work in the broomcorn fields, have forced the farmers to pay them greatly increased wages.

President McKinley will not deliver any set speech at Chicago during the G. A. R. reunion, it is announced. Accompanied by Mrs. McKinley, he will go from Chicago to Canton, and from there to the wedding of his niece, the daughter of Abner McKinley.

Population of Kansas.

Topeka, Kas., Aug. 19.—The state board of agriculture has issued a bulletin, compiled from reports of county clerks on March 1, showing the population of Kansas to be 1,444,709, a net increase within the year of 19,539, or 1.37 per cent. Sixty-five counties have gained 27,693, the smallest gain being 6, in Cheyenne, and the largest, 2,440, in Allen. Thirty-nine counties lost 8,309, the smallest being 2, in Greeley, and the largest, 873, in Johnson.

THE MARKETS.

New York, Aug. 22.	
CATTLE—Native Steers.....	4 50 @ 5 50
COTTON—Middling.....	10 10
FLOUR—Winter Wheat.....	3 75 @ 4 00
WHEAT—No. 2 Red.....	79 1/2 @ 79 3/4
CORN—No. 2.....	43 1/2 @ 44 1/2
OATS—No. 2.....	22 1/2 @ 23 1/2
PORK—Mess New.....	12 75 @ 12 85
ST. LOUIS.	
COTTON—Middling.....	9 1/2 @ 9 3/4
BEEVES—Steers.....	4 25 @ 4 50
Cows and Heifers.....	2 50 @ 3 00
CALVES—(per 100).....	4 50 @ 5 00
HOGS—Fair to Choice.....	5 45 @ 5 55
SHEEP—Fair to Choice.....	3 50 @ 4 00
FLOUR—Patents (new).....	3 50 @ 3 65
Other Grades.....	3 25 @ 3 50
WHEAT—No. 2 Red.....	79 @ 79 1/2
CORN—No. 2.....	21 1/2 @ 22
OATS—No. 2.....	21 1/2 @ 22
RYE—No. 2.....	40 @ 42
TOBACCO—Lugs.....	3 50 @ 4 00
Leaf Burley.....	14 @ 15 00
HAY—Clear Timothy (new).....	0 50 @ 1 00
BUTTER—Choice Dairy.....	14 @ 15 1/2
BACON—Clear Rib.....	11 @ 12
EGGS—Fresh.....	12 1/2 @ 13
PORK—Standard Mess (new).....	12 1/2 @ 13
LARD—Prime Steam.....	9 @ 9 1/2
CHICAGO.	
CATTLE—Native Steers.....	4 50 @ 5 00
HOGS—Fair to Choice.....	5 00 @ 5 25
WHEAT—No. 2 Red.....	78 @ 79
OATS—No. 2.....	21 @ 22
PORK—Mess New.....	11 1/2 @ 12 1/2
KANSAS CITY.	
CATTLE—Native Steers.....	4 50 @ 5 00
HOGS—Fair to Choice.....	5 00 @ 5 25
WHEAT—No. 2 Red.....	78 @ 79
OATS—No. 2.....	21 @ 22
PORK—Mess New.....	11 1/2 @ 12 1/2
NEW ORLEANS.	
FLOUR—High Grade.....	3 55 @ 4 00
CORN—No. 2.....	20 @ 21
OATS—Western.....	17 @ 18 00
HAY—Choice.....	12 @ 13 00
PORK—Standard Mess.....	12 1/2 @ 13 00
BACON—Short Rib Sides.....	8 1/2 @ 9 1/2
COTTON—Middling.....	10 1/2 @ 11
LOUISVILLE.	
WHEAT—No. 2 Red.....	75 @ 76 1/2
CORN—No. 2.....	41 @ 42
OATS—No. 2.....	23 @ 24
PORK—New Mess.....	12 1/2 @ 13 1/2
BACON—Short Rib.....	8 1/2 @ 9 1/2
COTTON—Middling.....	10 1/2 @ 11

FATAL FIRE AT PEORIA.

One Fireman Dead and Five Injured the Result of the Work of Fire Bugs.

LARGE AMOUNT OF PROPERTY BURNED.

The Plant of the Peoria Lounge and Mattress Co. and Carroll's Ice House Destroyed—The Casualties Were Caused by the Fall of Walls—Loss Estimated at \$30,000.

Peoria, Ill., Aug. 22.—One fireman dead, five injured and \$30,000 worth of property destroyed is the work of a fire bug in two fires here.

It was about two o'clock that fire was discovered in the plant of the Peoria Lounge and Mattress Co., at the corner of Fayette and Water streets. A general alarm soon had all of the fire machines of the city at the scene, but the plant was practically destroyed.

Thrown From a Roof.

The loss will reach \$20,000 on stock and machinery, and \$5,000 on the building, an old structure. The insurance on building and contents will reach \$15,000. During the progress of the fire, Pipeman Philip Distler, of Truck No. 2, and Fred Brodbeck, of Hose Company No. 5, were thrown from the roof of a two-story building adjoining the fire. Distler's shoulder was broken, and Brodbeck was badly bruised.

A Second Fire.

An hour after the mattress company's fire, Carroll's ice house, only 200 yards from the scene of the first fire, was discovered in a blaze. This was the fiercest of the two fires. At the end of an hour's fight the roof of the building caved in.

Caught Under Falling Walls.

Capt. Barney Manning and Pipeman Michael Gibbons, and Harry Palmer, of Hose Company No. 1, entered a door of the burning building. They were holding a stream of water on the fire when the walls toppled over. Capt. Manning was killed outright. Pipeman Gibbons and Palmer were buried under the walls, but were soon dug out by their companions. Gibbons had both legs broken below the knees, while Palmer escaped with a few bruises. Ladder men James P. Lynch, of Truck No. 1, was struck by a falling timber and crushed about the hips.

MORE LYNCHERS SENTENCED.

Eight men under life sentences for taking part in the Henderson County Lynching.

Palestine, Tex., Aug. 22.—Former Justice of the Peace Joseph Wilkerson, the alleged leader of the mob that lynched the three Humphreys in Henderson county in May, 1899, and J. A. Johns, Sam Hall and John F. Hadley, the remaining defendants, yesterday pleaded guilty to murder in the first degree, and each received a life sentence in the penitentiary. The action disposes of all the Humphreys lynching cases, eight in number. Each defendant received a life sentence.

A DISASTROUS WRECK.

Two Persons Killed and Seven Injured by a Collision in a Cut.

Tazewell, Va., Aug. 22.—A disastrous wreck at Maxwell, six miles from here, on the Clinch Valley division of the Norfolk & Western, occurred Monday, resulting in the death of two men and the wounding of seven others.

A light engine was running west at 40 miles an hour when it met in a cut a freight train by two engines going 30 miles an hour. The crash was terrible.

THEODORE WALLERT CAUGHT.

The Arlington (Minn.) Quintuple Murderer Captured Hidden in His Sister's Barn.

St. Paul, Minn., Aug. 22.—An Arlington (Minn.) special to the Dispatch says:

Theodore Wallert, who butchered his wife and four step-children, and wounded another, was discovered, at 10:30 a. m., in the barn on the place of his sister, Mrs. Steinborn, about two miles from the scene of his crime. He was hidden under a manger.

The Missouri Apple Abroad.

Kansas City, Mo., Aug. 22.—L. A. Goodman, secretary of the State Horticultural society of Missouri, received a letter, yesterday, from G. B. Brackett, who has charge of the United States display of fruit at the Paris exposition, announcing that the Missouri division of apples had received the first prize. The foreign demand for Missouri apples is growing, as indicated by letters of inquiry Mr. Goodman has received, especially from England, Germany and Austria.

A Choice Gift.

New York, Aug. 22.—Miss Helen Gold has presented 250 specimens of valuable plants, which are cuttings from the Gould conservatory at Irvington, to the botanical gardens in Bronx park, in this city. Her gift, it is understood, puts New York in possession of plants which can not be duplicated anywhere else in the United States.

Within the Sacred City.

London, Aug. 22.—The following dispatch is received from Rear Admiral Bruce:

"Taku, Aug. 19.—(Sunday)—The allies are reported to have entered the sacred city of Peking August 17."

A YOUNG GIRL DECAPITATED.

Shocking Result of a Collision Between a Transit Company Car and a Wagon at St. Louis.

St. Louis, Aug. 20.—One young girl beheaded, two men seriously hurt, and two persons slightly hurt are the results of a collision at Maeder street and South Broadway last night at 8:15 o'clock, between car No. 810 of the Sixth street division of the Transit company's lines and a light wagon bearing a party of six for an evening's outing at a summer garden.

Despite the fact that every older person in the conveyance was injured, little Luke Skeele, only two years old, of No. 614 South Third street, escaped without a scratch.

Immediately after the accident an excited crowd of some 400 persons assembled and made a determined effort to lynch the mortorman. The latter, however, was already under police protection, and after some time the crowd was dispersed.

Those is the wagon when it was struck were Mr. and Mrs. George Skeele, Blanche and Luke Skeele, of 614 South Third, Sothenes Fichesser, of No. 510 South Third street, and Herman Russler, of 319 Rutger street. Blanche Skeele was instantly killed; Russler's face was badly contused, his face cut and his skull possibly fractured; Fichesser's right leg was broken below the knee; Mrs. Skeele's hands and feet were crushed, and she suffered severe bruises; Skeele himself was badly bruised all over the body, but was not believed to be seriously hurt.

A SPECTACULAR BLAZE.

Three-Story Stone Building, Occupied by a Fireworks Company Burned to the Ground.

St. Louis, Aug. 22.—By a fire whose brilliance, from a spectacular point of view, has scarcely been equaled in St. Louis in recent years, the three-story stone building at 210 North Second street, occupied by the Consolidated Fireworks Company of America, was completely destroyed last night a little before midnight, and the buildings on the north and south, occupied respectively by the Hudson Bros. Produce and Commission Co. and Stracke & Caesar, liquor dealers, were badly damaged. The greatest damage done the latter firms was by water. The total loss is estimated at \$18,000 on the stock of the fireworks company and \$10,000 on the building. The cause of the fire is unknown, but the general belief is that it was the result of an explosion, due to spontaneous combustion. There were no lives lost and no one injured, although the explosions were frequent, and of great volume, driving at times the firemen from their work and causing a stampede of the throng of spectators who had been attracted to the scene.

DARK AS NIGHT AT NOON.

Hundreds of Buildings Razed at Sheboygan, Wis., by a Terrible Windstorm.

Milwaukee, Aug. 21.—A special from Sheboygan, Wis., says: "A terrific windstorm struck the city yesterday afternoon. The storm came very suddenly from the north."

"Eight large buildings were wrecked and 200 small houses were blown down. The loss will be upward of \$300,000."

"At noon it was dark as night and intensely hot. A few moments before one o'clock the storm broke, increasing in force until a tornado was blowing. Persons were thrown down and fences and signs hurled hundreds of feet. The storm raged for some minutes and passed off to the south."

"The storm started in the western part of the city, near the cemetery, and swept down onto the south side and off into the lake. It was two miles wide, and wrecked everything in its path. All was over in ten minutes."

THINNING OUT THE BOERS.

Krupp Guns Captured by Ian Hamilton—Additional Surrenders to Rundle.

London, Aug. 21.—The war office has received the following dispatch from Lord Roberts:

"Ian Hamilton captured two Krupp guns at Opliphant's nek, August 17. Three British were wounded."

"Hamilton engaged the Boers all day August 19 at Roode Kopjes and Crocodile river. There were few casualties."

"Rundle reports that 684 Boers surrendered in the Harrismith district August 19."

On His Way Home.

New York, Aug. 20.—On board the French liner La Lorraine, from Havre, was Mr. H. Oki, chief engineer of construction of the Japanese navy. He has been in France overseeing the building of the Japanese cruiser Azuma, at St. Nazaire. He is on his way to Japan.

Judge John Beverly Dead.

Amsterdam, N. Y., Aug. 21.—Judge John Beverly, late of the superior court of the state of Washington, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. John H. Bostwick, this city. He was born in Oppenheim, Fulton county, N. Y., June 18, 1823.

Telegraph From Tien Tsin Cut.

Shanghai, Aug. 21, 6:10 p. m.—The foreign officials here say that the telegraph from Tien Tsin has been cut. The position of the allies is uncertain and a large body of Chinese troops has taken the field.

A Lucky Prince.

Berlin, Aug. 22.—The Lokal Anzeiger announces the engagement of Queen Wilhelmina to Prince Frederick Adolf, of Mecklenburg-Schwerin.

From Nebo.

NEBO, Ky., August 20.

To the readers of THE BEE we make our first effort, promising that we will do our best to keep them informed of the happenings of our town.

It is both hot and dry, to the no small detriment of corn and tobacco, and unless we have rain in a short time the tobacco crop will be badly damaged.

Our city dads are having the sidewalks repaired.

Doctor Ferguson is having a new tobacco barn built on his farm adjoining town.

The old Mills' storehouse, which has been an eyesore to our people, has been bought by our enterprising merchant, Mr. D. C. Morrow, who will tear the old house down and replace it with a two-story brick.

Mr. Ed Hodge, of Henderson, was here last week making arrangements to build a large tobacco factory. He already owns a large factory, but it is not sufficient to handle the tobacco he desires to purchase.

There is a great deal of sickness just now, and our doctors are kept busy night and day.

Mark Corbun, of the Rose Creek neighborhood, who has been sick for several weeks, is no better.

Mrs. Sue Ferguson, who has been quite sick, is recovering.

Mrs. M. T. Winstead is suffering from an obstinate attack of the chills.

Mrs. R. S. Hill, who has been quite sick with malarial fever, is reported better.

Doctor Lamb, who was called to the bedside of his brother at Sturgis, has returned home, and reports him as being slightly improved.

Mrs. Allen Campbell, who went to Crofton to visit her daughter, was taken suddenly with pneumonia, is said to be better.

Frank Cox, who had the misfortune to get his ankle broke a few days ago, is getting along nicely.

Work on the coal shaft, two miles from town, has been suspended.

Wheat threshing is over and the crop is very light.

Rev. Bell, of Madisonville, preached at the C. P. Church Sunday.

Bob Payne, who has been making his home in Madisonville, has returned to Nebo.

Miss Goldie Chandler, who has been clerking for H. R. Cox, is taking a vacation.

Quarterly meeting at the M. E. Church last Saturday and Sunday. Presiding Elder George H. Hayes preached some able sermons.

A protracted meeting is in progress at the A. M. E. Church. It is conducted by the Revs. Brown and Moore.

The political pot, while not exactly ready to boil, is getting warm.

A regular Bryan Democrat was asked to take THE BEE and pay for it when McKinley was elected. He replied that it was only two months credit.

A communication in last Friday's Hustler from Greasy Creek settled to us a vexed question. We remember reading that same thing fifty years ago and we did not know whether it was true or not, but now we know that it is true for John Simms says over his own signature that he was the man. As we read it several years before the war of the Rebellion, we think, if not mistaken that at that time it was said to have occurred during the Revolutionary War which would make John L. several years older than we thought. But then John L. says that he was the man, and John, like the immortal Washington, can't tell a lie.

Now John tell us more about it. What kind of looking man was Washington? Was he as stiff and dignified as we have been led to believe he was from his picture?

We understand that Prof. Ferguson will remove his family to Charleston, he having secured the school at that place. We regret to give him and his excellent family up as we have no better people than the Professor and his good wife, and hope that their removal will only be temporary.

As far as my knowledge extends I do not know of a single vote that McKinley got four years ago, that he will not get this time, while I know several who voted for Bryan, who will vote for McKinley this time.

RUSTICUS.

Church Directory.

M. E. CHURCH.—W. C. Wilson, pastor. Services first and third Sundays at 11 a. m. and at 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Sunday school at 9:30.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.—I. H. Teel, pastor. Services second and fourth Sundays at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 9:30. Prayer meeting, Wednesday evenings at 7:30.

M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH.—R. M. Wheat, pastor. Services first and third Sundays at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 9:30. Prayer meeting, Tuesday evenings at 7:30 o'clock.

MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH.—Alex McChord, Pastor. Services third Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night. Sunday school at 9:30. Prayer meeting, Monday evenings at 7:30 o'clock.

Y. P. S. C. E.—Prayer meeting every Sunday evening at 8:30.

CATHOLIC CHURCH.—Rev. A. M. Coenen, pastor. First Mass, Sunday morning at 7 o'clock; Second Mass, 9:30 o'clock. Afternoon service at 2:30 every Sunday.

GENERAL BAPTIST CHURCH.—William Childers, pastor. Services every third Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m., and at 7:30 p. m.

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Killed Her Baby Boy.

Owensboro, Ky., Aug. 21.—Her mind deranged from typhoid fever and the excessive heat, Mrs. John Supplee this evening with a razor killed her one-year old boy and then cut her own throat. The woman is still alive and was able to tell her husband what she had done, though there is a horrible gash in her throat. Supplee is foreman of the grass Canning factory, the one adjoining the factory. He kept him at the factory about 10 o'clock at night. His wife had been ill for several days and a neighbor girl was staying with her.

A few years ago the South did practically no manufacturing. It now has over \$1,000,000,000—one billion dollars—invested in factories, paying over \$350,000,000 in wages and producing between \$1,500,000,000 and \$2,000,000,000 worth of products yearly. If the gold standard and the protective tariff are the great evils that the South so steadily denounces, how has the South been enabled to make this wonderful progress the great bulk of which has been under McKinley's administration.

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He voted for Bryan in 1896" is becoming quite a common form of introduction for the speakers at the Republican meetings in Kansas this year.

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